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FORMALITIES LETTER



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APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING/RECEIPT DATE	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER
09/584,237	05/31/2000	David Hillard	CER1019-00

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Date Mailed: 08/18/2000

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 690 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$1164.
 - \$540 for 30 total claims over 20.
 - \$624 for 8 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1984.

A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

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 02 FC:102 640.00 BP
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SERIAL NUMBER 09/584,237	FILING DATE 05/31/2000	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR HILLARD	ATTY. DKT. NO. CER1019-00
TITLE METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR OPTIMIZING ROUTING AND PROTECTION OF VT TRAFFIC IN SONET NETWORKS		ART UNIT 2731	EXAMINER UNKNOWN

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

TRANSMITTAL

Enclosed for filing are the following papers:

- ☒ Fee Transmittal Form ☒ Check for \$ 2060.00
☐ Amendment / Response ☐ After Final
☐ Petition for Extension of Time
☐ Information Disclosure Statement ☐ Form PTO-1449
☒ Notice to File Missing Parts of Application/Incomplete Application
☐ Express Mail Certificate
☒ Other: (1) Assignment of Invention w/ cover page (3p.); and (2) Declaration and Power of Attorney (2p.).

Remarks: The above-noted documents and fees are being transmitted herewith in response to the Notice of Missing Parts mailed August 18, 2000.

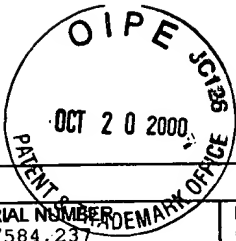
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FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/14/00)

1. FILING FEE

Large Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee Description	Amount
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 101	<input type="checkbox"/> 201	Utility filing	710.00
<input type="checkbox"/> 106	<input type="checkbox"/> 206	Design filing fee	
<input type="checkbox"/> 107	<input type="checkbox"/> 207	Plant filing fee	
<input type="checkbox"/> 108	<input type="checkbox"/> 208	Reissue filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) \$710.00

2. CLAIMS

	Previous Paid	Extra	Fee	Amount
Total Claims	50	- 20 =	30	x 18.00 = 540.00
Independent Claims	11	- 3 =	8	x 80.00 = 640.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent Claims				
<input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity Status (50% Reduction)				
SUBTOTAL				1,180.00

SUBTOTAL (2) \$1,180.00

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee Description	Amount
<input type="checkbox"/> 105	<input type="checkbox"/> 205	Surcharge-late filing fee or oath	
<input type="checkbox"/> 139	<input type="checkbox"/> 139	Non-English specification	
<input type="checkbox"/> 147	<input type="checkbox"/> 147	for filing a Request for Reexamination	
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<input type="checkbox"/> 117	<input type="checkbox"/> 217	Extension for response within third month	
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<input type="checkbox"/> 114	<input type="checkbox"/> 214	Provisional Application filing	

Other fee (specify) _____

Other fee (specify) _____

SUBTOTAL (3)

\$170.00

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check one)

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT

\$ 2,060.00

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Deposit Account Number: _____

Deposit Account Name: _____

☐ Charge any Additional Fee Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17☐ Charge the Issue Fee set in 37 CFR 1.18 at the Mailing of the Notice of Allowance. 37 CFR 1.311(b)☒ Payment

Enclosed:

☒ Check☐ Money Order☐ Other:

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Frank A. Mazzeo

Signature

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